PRESENT—*cont.*

Subrahmanya Bhatt, Mr. U. C.
Sundara Rao Nayudu, Mr. T.
Syed Tajuddin Sahib Bahadur, Khan Sahib.
Thangal, Mr. P. M.
Uzielli, C.I.E., I.C.S., Mr. H. R.
Vasudeva Pillai, Mr. V. G.
Vedachala Mudaliyar, Rao Sahib M.
Venugopal Nayudu, Rao Bahadur R. K.
Yakub Hasan Sahib Bahadur.
Zamindar of Bodinayakkanur, The.
Zamindar of Kirlampudi, The.
Zamindar of Mirzapuram, The.

## I.—QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

## STARRED QUESTIONS

### Education

*Reservation of foreign scholarships for Muslim ladies.*

* 707 *Q.*—S. M. K. Beyabani Sahib Bahadur: Will the Hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Education Department have made any provision in this year's budget for granting foreign scholarships to lady students; and

(*b*) whether any amount has been reserved for Muslim ladies?

*A.*—The answer to both clauses is in the negative.

Mr. A. B. Shetty:—"May I know, Sir, whether any foreign scholarships were granted to ladies in the previous years?"

The Hon. Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"Notice."

Rao Sahib V. I. Muniswami Pillai:—"May I ask the Hon. Minister whether there is no demand from the ladies for such scholarships, or whether it is the opinion of the Government that ladies should not have these scholarships?"

The Hon. Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"I cannot say whether any applications were received at all from ladies for these foreign scholarships in recent years."

Mr. Abdul Hameed Khan:—"Am I to understand, Sir, that the scholarships are restricted to men only and that ladies cannot apply for scholarships?"

The Hon. Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"For some years now no foreign scholarships have been given at all owing to financial difficulties."

### Veterinary

*Work turned out by the Disease Investigation Officer, Veterinary department.*

* 708 *Q.*—Mr. A. B. Shetty: Will the Hon. the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether the Disease Investigation Officer (Veterinary department) has submitted any report of the work done by him; and

(*b*) what diseases have so far been investigated by him?

*A.*—(*a*) Two annual reports for the years 1933–34 and 1934–35 have been submitted to Government.